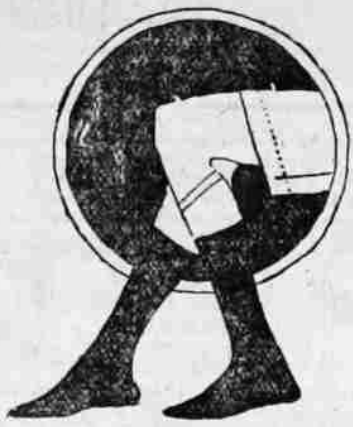


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## REEDER, DIVORCE

An interlocutory decree of divorce was granted yesterday by Judge A. E. Pratt to Mrs. Louie H. Reeder from George J. Reeder. Mrs. Reeder alleged in her complaint that Reeder during 1918 absented himself from home on an average of six nights a week and frequently was in company with a certain young lady. Reeder, according to his wife's charges, had told her that he cared more for the young woman than he did for her.

The couple were married in Salt Lake, June 24, 1908. They have three

children ranging in age from 3 to 8 years. By an agreement made out of court Mrs. Reeder will receive \$15 a month alimony for herself, and \$15 each month for the three children, as long as the children are not of age, and Mrs. Reeder remains unmarried. Reeder also agreed to pay taxes on the home, which Mrs. Reeder will occupy, for three years and to keep it insured during that time.

Reeder will be allowed to see the children, but is compelled to make arrangements to meet them at some place other than their home.

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## MAN STEPS INTO A DEEP HOLE AND IS DROWNED

TREMONTON, Aug. 12—George Meldrum, 50 years of age, was drowned in Bear river, a short distance east of the city last evening. Mr. Meldrum was wading in the stream with his son and several other boys, in the attempt to catch fish.

As he could not swim he was urged to be careful, but he evidently thought there was no danger, as the river is exceedingly shallow. He stepped into a deep hole, however, and quickly sank to the bottom. The body was recovered later and brought to his home in this city.

Mr. Meldrum is survived by his wife and several children.

## Decided Drop In Price of Shoes Forecast

BOSTON, Aug. 12—Predictions of a decided drop in the price of shoes were made by leather manufacturers, who testified today at the grand jury investigation of the high cost of living being conducted by District Attorney Joseph C. Pelletier. The opinion, however, was that the decline might not come for another year.

Witnesses said that the people demanded a high grade of shoes and were willing to pay for them.

## Assessor Makes a Statement as to Taxing Property

Editor Standard: In referring to the notice of yesterday in two of the papers of this city that D. C. Eccles was to move the headquarters to Oregon of some of his big interests, I am truly sorry if I have been the cause of such action.

I am a public servant of this county and must do my duty, whoever it reflects upon. If in this case there has been an injustice done Mr. Eccles, why not turn to the legal phase of this matter and determine who is at fault, the law, Mr. Eccles or the assessor?

If the statutes of our state are at fault and discriminate against such companies as those directed by Mr. Eccles, why not remain and help put on to the statutes of the state, laws that are fair and just to such interests? If there has been any injustice done, as so pertinently hinted at, by

the taxing of property here that is taxed in Oregon, how quickly this could be determined and the wrong righted, if such be the case.

I have followed the best interpretations obtainable concerning the law taxing such property, and applied the rule to all alike in this matter to the best of my judgment and ability. This I must do, much as it grieves me to see such rash actions taken as Mr. Eccles has decided upon.

(Signed) O. M. SANDERSON,  
Assessor.

## Hands Mangled by Electric Washer at Brigham City

BRIGHAM CITY, Aug. 12—Miss Louise Gooch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Gooch of this city, had her hand terribly mangled last evening while running the electric washer. Her right hand caught in the wringer and was severely cut and bruised. She was taken to the hospital and it required twenty-five stitches to sew up the wound.

## ASK RESTORING OF ELY TRAIN SERVICE

ELY, Nev., Aug. 12—A mass meeting was held in Bijou hall tonight and attended by a large number of business men and prominent citizens of the district at which immediate restoration of train service on the Nevada Northern was urged.

The committee appointed by the citizens some time ago to make assignments for the reception of the motor transport corps when it reaches Ely was by a unanimous vote tonight appointed to co-operate with Attorney Anthony Jurich. Attorney Jurich has lodged a complaint with the public service commission for the restoration of train service.

Chairman Shaughnessy of the public service commission will be in Ely tomorrow for conference.

## GRAIN CORPORATION MAKES NEW RULING

SALT LAKE, Aug. 13—Wheat shippers need not secure permits previous to sending grain to Galveston, as had been announced, according to information received yesterday by M. H. Greene, manager of the United States grain corporation.

In order to avoid congestion and delay to cars, the railroad administration will establish a system of permits for controlling the movement of grain to and between primary markets, according to a bulletin received by Mr. Greene. Such shipments will be handled under blanket and individual permits.

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## GOVERNMENT GOODS TO BE SHIPPED TO UTAH

SALT LAKE, Aug. 13—United States Senator William H. King has notified Governor Bamberger that the present plans of the war department call for the distribution of Utah's share of the government supplies of foodstuffs from Omaha, where large quantities are now stored. Present arrangements, Senator King says, are to ship the supplies to the mayors of cities and to fill orders by parcel post. The plan does not now contemplate distribution by state officials, but rather by municipalities and by parcel post direct. Senator King promised to keep Utah advised on the progress made toward distributing the government's enormous war food reserves as a part of the gigantic drive to reduce the cost of living and end profiteering.

In response to inquiries put by Commissioner Karl A. Scheid, Mayor W. Mont Ferry made an informal and adverse report to the city commission yesterday with regard to the advisability of purchase by Salt Lake of food supplies offered for sale by the government.

Mayor Ferry expressed the opinion that the consumer would realize little benefit from any handling of the goods by the city after the government prices and overhead costs had been met. He said no guarantee of quality can be had from the government and that the prices at which the government is offering the goods are not sufficiently lower than the retail prices in Salt Lake to constitute a safe disposal with desired economy for the consumers.

Commissioner Scheid inquired specifically about bacon, calling attention to the fact that the government prices are 34 and 36 cents, and that the retail price in Salt Lake for premier bacon is 75 cents a pound. Mayor Ferry responded with the explanation that there was no guarantee of superior quality with regard to the government bacon and that bacon of one grade can be had in Salt Lake for as low as 30 cents retail. The matter went by default for the time being, no definite action being taken by the commission, of which but four members were present, Commissioner Green being on a vacation trip to Bear Lake.

## Storage Plants Under Probe

Mayor Ferry explained that the announcement from the governor's office that the state was to take measures to get some of the food for distribution here had tended to deter him from taking action, as well as had the report that the supplies were to be available to consumers through parcel post.

Cold storage plants of Salt Lake are still under investigation by federal agents, and the search for large amounts of foodstuffs in refrigeration will be continued until the end of the week.

## RAILROAD TO BE BUILT INTO UTAH BASIN

SALT LAKE, Aug. 13—Formation of the Utah Improvement corporation for the express purpose of building a railroad into Utah basin as soon as it is physically possible, and to develop the vast resources of that famous Utah treasure house to produce tonnage for the road, was launched at a meeting of several score of the state's prominent business men in the Commercial club last night. The enterprise, fathered and fostered by Governor Bamberger, now takes definite shape, with the selection of a committee to represent the subscribers to stock in the corporation and the raising of a fund with which to complete surveys and all necessary preliminary work. This corporation will proceed at once to secure the right of way and make all other arrangements that must necessarily precede actual construction work.

The action taken last night is the outcome of the governor's recent trip to the basin, the preliminary surveys which he has made, the offers of persons interested in Utah basin mineral properties to join in the railroad project, and the promise of support of the business interests of Salt Lake given by the board of governors of the Commercial club.

The committee which is designated to form the Utah Improvement corporation consists of Governor Bamberger, Heber J. Grant, Lester D. Freed, A. W. Ivins, J. W. Clyde, M. T. Street, W. H. Smart, T. N. Taylor, LeRoy Dixon, H. T. Reynolds, Frank A. Fisher, James W. Collins, John Bern, W. J. Halloran, R. C. Gemmell, R. R. Inch, George T. Odell, Dr. G. G. Richards, M. H. Sowles, John C. Cutler, W. R. Wallace, E. A. Culbertson, L. H. Farnsworth, W. W. Armstrong, W. L. Wattis, R. E. Bristol, Frank Pingree, T. W. Boyer and C. S. Burton.

## NOTED PIONEER'S FUNERAL

SALT LAKE, Aug. 13—Funeral services for Edward Covington, 93 years old, pioneer of Salt Lake, who died Monday at 2 o'clock, will be held this afternoon in the Fourteenth ward chapel. Burial will be in City cemetery.

Mr. Covington was official photographer in Johnston's Confederate army, and won considerable fame in those days for the bravery he displayed in obtaining important pictures.

## GOES TO SOUTH DAKOTA

DENVER, Colo., Aug. 13—C. L. (Boss) Parsons, athletic director of the war camp community service in Denver, and former athletic coach of the Colorado school of mines, today signed a contract to direct the athletic program at the South Dakota School of Mines.

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